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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Markus Hartmann

SERIAL NO. 09/928,777

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FOR: QUICK-ACTION LOCKING DEVICE ...

EXAMINER: Michelle Lopez

Group: 3721

Mail Stop **NON FEE AMENDMENT**

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 16, 2003, please amend the
above-identified application as follows: